LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

April 26, 2004



Total Cases (civil servant/contractor)
[] = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents, and Restricted Work Incidents. Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost. Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.

Close Calls and Safety Concerns may be viewed at: http://safety.larc.nasa.gov/OSFAHomePageStuff/osma_docs/SafetyConcerns.xls



Injury/Mishap Information

- The Center has been 18 days without a Civil Servant or Contractor Lost Time Injury. (Record 433 days)
- No injuries or illnesses reported.



Portable Radios and Tape Player Headphones - Use discretion when using headphones with radios and tape players while walking/ jogging or in the workplace. One ear should remain uncovered so that warning noises, voices, etc. can be heard. Employees should also ensure the unsecured headphone cords do not become entangled in rotating machinery or caught on objects and projections, leading to a mishap and possible injury. (Reference LAPG 1740.2, Paragraph 8.5)



Weekly Video Schedule - April 26-30, 2004 - Office Ergonomics Today; Office Safety - It's a Jungle in There; Back At Work; Pro-Active Safety - The Self-Inspection; Incident Reporting - You Can Save a Life.